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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

7 WALTER J. RUIZ and MILLICENT Z.  
8 RUIZ, individually and as husband and  
9 wife,

10 Plaintiffs,

11 v.

12 CITY OF MESQUITE, et al.,

13 Defendants.

2:09-CV-211 JCM (LRL)

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15 **ORDER**

16 Presently before the court is defendant City of Mesquite's bill of costs. (Doc. #80). Plaintiffs  
17 have not filed any objections.

18 The court notes that the bill of costs submitted by Mesquite requests over \$13,000, the  
19 majority of which appear to relate to attorneys' fees. Attorneys' fees are not taxable under statute  
20 or the local rule. *See* 28 U.S.C. §§ 1920 - 1923, Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(d), and LR 54-1.

21 Further, the documentation provided by Mesquite does not satisfy the requirements for a  
22 motion for attorneys' fees. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(d) and LR 54-16.

23 Accordingly,

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1 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that defendant City of  
2 Mesquite's request for costs (doc. #80) be, and the same hereby is, DENIED.

3 DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012.

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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE